(2) MESSAGE FROM THE ASSEMBLY.

MR. CHAIRMAN : I have also received a message from the Hon. Speaker, Madras Legislative Assembly, transmitting a copy of the Madras Chit Funds Bill, 1961 (L.A. Bill No. 5 of 1960), as passed by the Legislative Assembly on the 1st February 1961 for the concurrence of the Council.

(3) DECISION OF THE BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

MR. CHAIRMAN : At a meeting of the Business Advisory Committee held at 2-30 p.m. to-day, the following programme of business has been decided :— 3·20 p.m.

19th February 1961 .. .. .. 20th Febuary 1961	Holidays
21st Febuary 1961 .. .. .. 22nd February 1961	No meeting.
23rd February 1961 .. .. .. 24th February 1961	Consideration of the Madras Chit Funds Bill, 1961. (L.A. Bill No. 5 of 1960)—(cont.).
25th Febuary 1961	Presentation of the Budget for the year 1961–62.
26th February 1961	Holiday.
27th February 1961	Consideration of the Madras State Housing Board Bill, 1961 (L.A. Bill No. 31 of 1960).
28th February 1961 .. .. .. 1st March 1961	Holidays.
2nd March 1961 .. .. .. 3rd March 1961	Consideration of the Madras State Housing Board Bill, 1961. (L.A. Bill No. 31 of 1960) – (cont).
4th March 1961	No meeting.
5th March 1961	Holiday.
6th March 1961	No Meeting
7th to 11th March 1961	General discussion on the Budget for the year 1961–62.

The Council will meet daily at 3 p.m. Further programme of business will be decided later.

The time-limit for the receipt of amendments to the Madras Chit Funds Bill, 1961 (L.A. Bill No. 5 of 1960) has been extended till 2 p.m. on the 23rd February 1961.

(4) VISIT OF HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II TO RAJAJI HALL.

MR. CHAIRMAN : I have great pleasure to announce to the House that Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II and His Royal Highness Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, will visit the Rajaji Hall at 6 p.m. on Sunday, the 19th February 1961 to meet the Legislators.

Invitations have already been issued to all Members who have been given each a car pass. It has since been decided that each Member will be given 5 passes for the use of their families. Passes are available with the Secretary to the Council. Family members of the Legislators will be seated in the lawn near the